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Sir:

- 1. In response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers mailed Jamuary 2, 2002 (copy enclosed), applicant submits the following:
 - \boxtimes Five sheets of corrected Formal Drawings
- 2. Conditional Petition for Extension of Time

Applicant | petitions for an Extension of Time if necessary for timely filing of this Response.

- 3. Fee Payment
 - 冈 It is believed that no fee is due for this submission. it is believed that fee(s) are due, please charge any underpayment for timely filing of this Response to Deposit Account No. 50-0665.

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Filing Date Granted

This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
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